

# UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

**Subject:**

ACTION: R277-700, The Elementary and Secondary General Core (Amendment)

**Agenda item type:**

Action Item

**Recommended Action:**

MOTION FOR THE BOARD: That the Board approve R277-700, The Elementary and Secondary General Core, Draft 1, on second and final reading.

**Background:**

Staff have received a number of questions from the field and recommend that the Board consider adding a clarity to rule about whether a student can earn high school credit for courses completed before the student starts grade 9. Staff will present two options, draft one, which permits awarding credit, and draft two, which prohibits awarding credit. If the Board adopts draft two, future changes would likely be needed in R277-726, the SOEP rule.

Staff will present R277-700, Drafts 1 and 2, for consideration and approval.

Authorizing, and Implemented or Interpreted Law: Art X Sec 3; 53E-3-501(1)(b); 53E-4-202; 53E-3-401(4)

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**Attachments:**

1. R277-700 - Draft 1 - March 2024 Committee
2. R277-700 - Draft 2 - March 2024 Committee
3. R277- 700 - Reporting Burden and Fiscal Impact Estimate Form

